

The background of the entire page is a photograph of a large, diverse crowd of young people, presumably students, cheering at a football game. They are wearing various colors, including maroon, white, and yellow, and many are holding red plastic tubes. Some are clapping, while others have their mouths open as if shouting. The scene is outdoors under a clear sky.

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**PATRICK SCHLOSS**  
PRESIDENT

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The days leading up to Gypsy Days to me seem much like those leading up to any other large event that take part throughout our lives, with months of planning and preparation all coming together to the last minute details and uncertainties that sometimes occur. Though uncertainties may arise they never seem to over-shadow the building excitement on campus as the activities surrounding Gypsy Days move forward. After months of preparation Gypsy Days 2006 celebration seemed to pass by much too quickly, though I am confident that a wonderful time was had by all.

It was my pleasure to welcome Regent Carole Pagones as our 91st Parade Marshal. Maureen and I very much enjoyed getting better acquainted with her over the weekend. The beautiful weather only added to the overwhelming success of Gypsy Days bringing together such a large part of the community with thousands of spectators joining together to watch the annual parade and attend the football game.

Prior to the opening kick-off, I had the honor of taking part in the dedication ceremony honoring Coaches Jim Kretchman and Don Reshetar who were being honored for their years of service to high school and college athletics. The ceremony was testament of the outstanding legacy that these men have built for our university.

The Board of Regents released the fall enrollment figures in September, and I am pleased to report that overall on-campus enrollment was within one percentage point of last year, with the fall 2006 freshman class up 13 students from last year's enrollment. This year, Northern State processed 1,156 applications compared to a five year average of 1,120. Students are looking closely at Northern and we are being provided a fair shot at drawing them to Aberdeen. Allan Vogel and the staff of the Office of Admissions has been working diligently, contacting more potential students and processing more applications than any time in the last five years.

The new Banking and Financial Services program has gone from concept to a developed plan in less than one year, with funding in place for scholarships, faculty and marketing. I am pleased to report that the program has 60 students in Aberdeen, Sioux Falls, Pierre and Winner this semester, and with the help of David Rogers, Stan Vinson and the School of Business, we hope to see these numbers continue to rise.

I am confident that this will continue to be a year filled with many achievements, and I look forward to working to continue making NSU a place in which we carry on expanding and attaining great success!



**TODD JORDRE**  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
NSU FOUNDATION

## MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

When you think of Gypsy Day you may think of parades and football games and all the special events and hoopla surrounding that weekend. Yes, I have to admit as I grew up I couldn't wait to see the parade, the floats and go to the big game in the crisp fall air.

This year the weather was magnificent and thousands of visitors and friends traveled to Aberdeen for the big day. They experienced a huge parade down Main Street with a thousand marching band students, hundreds of entries and not a breath of wind or cold.

What struck me more than anything was the incredible Northern pride and spirit that filled the air as the tailgate grills cooked, the bands played and many friends shook hands and reacquainted themselves.

The fact that Northern has had many successful Gypsy Days doesn't diminish the fact that this year, 2006, seemed special, seemed different, almost surreal. What made this year so great? Why was it that everywhere you looked there were smiling people, having a great time and enjoying the moment?

Could it have been the dedication ceremonies honoring Jim Kretchman and Don Reshetar (which led to remembering the legacies of Clark Swisher, Al Sahli and the many student athletes they shaped and molded during their careers)? Could it have been the unbelievable weather with the rainbow variety of leaves slowly drifting towards the earth?

Was it the back and forth football battle with several spectacular plays? Was it the glistening new stadium highlighted with maroon and gold sprinkled everywhere or the star-spangled banner hilighted with fireworks shaking the ground as the singing and applause reached a crescendo?

Gypsy Day is defined differently by each of us. For many, it is a time to reflect on a true "homecoming" of sorts while enjoying friends and family, remembering those no longer with us and glancing towards the future with a positive and hopeful outlook.

Thanks to all who made Gypsy Day 2006 so successful and to the many who support NSU!



## GYPSY DAYS CELEBRATION 2006



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## RESHETAR/KRETCHMAN FIELD HOUSE

# Coach Jim Kretchman and Coach Don Reshetar Honored



*Jim Kretchman and President Patrick Schloss, NSU.*



*Don Reshetar and Duane Alm, President of the Aberdeen Public School Board.*

Former coaches Jim Kretchman, NSU and Don Reshetar, Aberdeen Central, were honored at the formal dedication of the new Reshetar/Kretchman Field House at the Clark Swisher Activities Complex during the recent Gypsy Day festivities.

Jim Kretchman is a native of Faulkton, S.D. He started his Northern experience playing football under legendary coach, Clark Swisher. While at Northern Kretchman earned All American Awards and is still among the top in the record books at the university. After graduating with his Bachelor's and Master's degrees from Northern State, Kretchman went on to earn his Doctorate at the University of Wyoming. That same year Kretchman accepted a position as assistant football, wrestling, and track coach at NSU. After one year Coach Kretchman took over the position of head coach at Northern State upon the retirement of his former coach, Clark Swisher.

Over the years Coach Kretchman has received many awards and honors, including being inducted to NSU's athletic hall of fame in 1976. Coach Kretchman dedicated 32 years to higher education in South Dakota and has been an

outstanding mentor and coach for countless athletes who have attended NSU.

Don Reshetar is a native of Minneapolis, Minn. He received a Bachelor's degree from Augustana College, Sioux Falls, and a Master's degree from Northern State University. Reshetar began his coaching career at Ethan, S.D. and then served two years as a Navy Officer during the Korean War. After returning home Reshetar took over as head coach for the Webster Bearcats. He then took position as head football Coach for Aberdeen Central, a position he held for 14 years. Reshetar also served 22 years as the Athletic Director of Aberdeen Central.

Reshetar is the recipient of multiple awards and honors including: Governor's Ambassador Award, President of the Eastern South Dakota Conference, President of the South Dakota Athletic Director's Association, The 1982 South Dakota Athletic Director of the Year, 1982 ESD Conference Service Award, the SDHSAA Distinguished Service Awards in 1989, and was elected to the Augustana College Athletic Hall of Fame, South Dakota Football Coaches Hall of Fame, and the South Dakota Interscholastic Administrator's Hall of Fame.



*NSU PARADE MARSHAL, Carole Pagones*



*NSU GYPSY DAY FOOTBALL GAME, Eric Schwan*

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | 50 YEAR CLUB REUNION



50-Year Club Reunion on May 12-13, 2006



Dr. James Hovland ('55), Marie (Beshara) Hovland ('57), and Alumni Director Rachel Kippley ('01)



Joseph Kelly (NSTC Class of 1940) and his daughter Jennifer Kelly (NSU Class of 2006) celebrate after the commencement ceremony.

## 50 YEAR CLUB REUNION

The NSU Alumni Association hosted the first annual 50-Year Club Reunion on May 12-13, 2006. The prestigious 50-Year Club is made up of those Northern alumni who graduated 50 years ago or earlier. While the members of the Class of 1956 were the featured graduates, all graduates from the years prior also received an invitation to return and be inducted into the 50-Year Club. The fun-filled weekend began Friday afternoon with a special campus tour, highlighting recent changes to the university and featuring a stop at the bookstore. The library's archival staff displayed Northern State Teachers College and Northern Normal memorabilia and photos from the 1950s and earlier especially for the occasion. A cocktail reception and semi-formal banquet were held at the AmericInn on Friday evening. NSU President Patrick Schloss, NSU Alumni Association President Kristal Larson, and other representatives were on hand to greet the inductees. Over fifty graduates from the Classes of 1956 and earlier were in attendance and were

inducted into the 50-Year Club. Each inductee received a golden alumni pin, certificate, and keepsake photos. Following dinner, Perk Washenberger entertained the crowd with his musical talents.

Commencement for the class of 2006 was held at 10 a.m. on May 13. NSU graduates, faculty, and administration, along with commencement speaker Governor Mike Rounds and the other dignitaries, honored the 50-Year Club for their contributions to the University. Following commencement a luncheon was held in Lincoln Hall lobby, which is now the Isaac Lincoln Art Gallery.

The Alumni Association looks forward to annually recognizing these special individuals for the pride they bring to Northern State University through all their life successes. If you graduated from Northern in 1957 or earlier, make plans to join the 50-Year Club Reunion May 11-12, 2007.

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | ALUMNI UPDATES

**"It seemed only fitting for us to be there for a number of reasons."**

*President Patrick Schloss*



Sherry Treeby and Dr. Patrick Schloss.

## VIETNAM VETERAN MEMORIAL DEDICATION

Northern State University students, alumni and friends were part of over 32,000 at the dedication of the Vietnam War Memorial event in Pierre, S.D. on September 16, 2006.

"It seemed only fitting for us to be there for a number of reasons," said President Patrick Schloss. "We were there to celebrate fellow South Dakotans who fought in this war and to also honor our alum who helped create the new Vietnam War Memorial sculpture."

Sherri Treeby, is a 1990 graduate of NSU. She is sculpture partners with Lee Leuning. Their designs can be seen at Bad River Artworks gallery and studio just outside of Aberdeen. Treeby and Leuning have been recognized nationally for their innovations in cast sculpture. In 2001, WWII Veterans selected these two South Dakotans from a large field of artists to create the World War II monument, and the artists were hired again to create the Korean War memorial. The Vietnam memorial is their most recent work.

Also participating in the festivities were the Northern State University Marching Wolves. The Marching Wolves were joined by the NSU Football Cheerleaders, the Northern Highlights and President and Mrs. Schloss to represent NSU at the Vietnam War Memorial Parade on Saturday.

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | FOOTBALL

**"If we concentrate on playing the best we can each week, the wins will take care of themselves."**

*Chris Boden, Head Coach*

After finishing third in the NSIC last season with a 6-5 overall record and a mark of 5-2 in the league, the NSIC preseason coaches' poll predicts Northern State to again finish third in 2006. Winona State and Concordia-St. Paul tied for first in the NSIC last season and Winona is picked to top the league once again this year. The Wolves were the only team to beat CSP in 2005.

As head coach Chris Boden enters his second year with the Wolves, the team returns with 15 starters from last year's squad, including seven on offense, six on defense and two on special teams. Boden expects to have an improved team with the 50 returning core players possessing both the knowledge of what the coaching staff expects and the ability to help newcomers learn.

After two games in which the Wolves have posted a 1-1 record, both returnees and newcomers have made their mark on the gridiron. New quarterback, Jimmie Griffin, will provide strength and accuracy to making the Wolves dangerous from the air. Wade Ginsbach, 2005 top receiver, returns and red-shirt freshman and hometown boy, Brian Jark, has already proven an ability to catch for long yards. In the second game of the season, Griffin and Jark connected for a record 94 yard touchdown pass. The offense will look to Chuck Driscoll and Tavis Ve'e to lead the rushing game. Ve'e played for NSU in 2004.



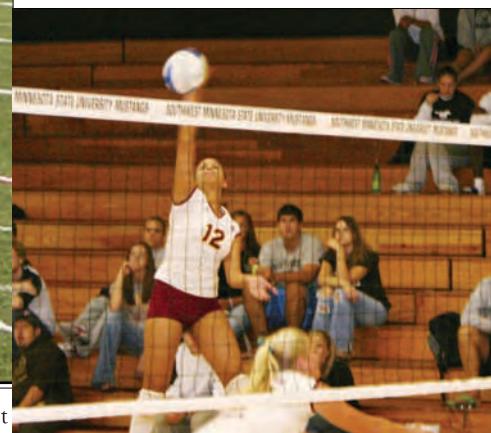
The defense has seen an uprising of young talent that, mixed with skilled returnees, will be tough to beat. Rudy Jones, a former NSU running back, is an aggressive, physical machine who is currently leading the team in tackles. Newcomers Jackson Hegerfeld and Jeremy Beulah should also be in the mix for most tackles by the time the season is over. In addition to these players, Northern also returns Una Latu, the 2005 NSIC Defensive Newcomer of the Year, and Michael Beard.

The team's focus will be to play one game at a time. "We want to play hard and smart, together," said Boden. "If we concentrate on playing the best we can each week, the wins will take care of themselves."

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | VOLLEYBALL

**"We will be a competitive team looking to win the NSIC Conference Title this year..."**

*Lisa Schriver, Head Coach*



The Northern State volleyball team went 15-16 overall last season and 6-8 in the NSIC, putting them in fifth place for the year. The team is once again favored to finish in fifth in 2006, while Concordia-St. Paul is picked to once again top the league. The Wolves will have to compete in one of the toughest conferences in the nation, facing Concordia-St. Paul and Southwest Minnesota State, both ranked in the National Top 25 Poll.

The Wolves return five players from last year's squad, including one of their top hitters, Odemaris Diaz, Vega Alsa, P.R., and their primary setter Kelli Heier, Aberdeen. Diaz, senior outside hitter, is NSU's top player to watch this season. She leads the team in kills and has notched double-digit kills in all but one match this season. Senior Kellie Heier, returns for her final season ranked among the top five setters in NSU history.

The team ushers in nine newcomers to the program, players who will play key roles as middle blockers and defenders.

"We will be a competitive team looking to win the NSIC Conference Title this year," said head coach Lisa Schriver. "We have a good mix of solid returning players and talented newcomers who play hard and are excited about the season."

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | SOCCER

**"We look forward to the season and the fight for a conference championship."**

*Steve Kehm, Head Coach*

The Wolves' soccer team aims to be one of the most successful NSU fall sports this year. The squad finished third in the NSIC last season with a 14-5-3 overall record and a mark of 7-5-2 in the conference. They are favored to finish second in 2006 and are well on their way to meeting that goal.

The team is made up of 13 returning players and 10 newcomers, with the veterans expected to lead the squad on the field. Senior forward Melissa

Gamble is the top offensive force for NSU and has already garnered Player of the Week honors. Skadi Davison, Kira Wannebo, and Maggie Madrid return to lead the defensive force with Theresa Alexander in the net.

"We are excited to start NSIC play," said head coach Steve Kehm. "We look forward to the season and the fight for a conference championship."

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | REUNION

## Save the Date

### "I Hate Winter," Basketball Reunions, February 9-10, 2007

The NSU Athletic Department and Alumni Office will be hosting a reunion for all men's and women's basketball alumni and their families during the "I Hate Winter" celebration on February 9-10, 2007.

The reunion weekend will include a number of fun and exciting events. After watching the Wolves take on Concordia-St. Paul on Friday night, join Athletic Director Bob Olson and Coaches Don Meyer and Curt Fredrickson at the AmericInn for the Roundball Reception. You'll enjoy reminiscing and catching up with your teammates, as well as hearing from the coaches about how the basketball program has progressed.

On the afternoon of Saturday, Feb. 10, dust off your high-tops and return to Wachs Arena to play in the alumni basketball game, or cheer your former teammates on from the sideline.

Afterwards, alumni will meet at Lagers Inn to kick off "I Hate Winter" the right way with leis, Hawaiian shirts, and fruity concoctions. The Wolves take on MSU-Moorhead on Saturday night and all basketball alumni will be recognized during half-time of both the men's and women's games.

Rooms have been reserved at the Aberdeen AmericInn Lodge & Suites, which is conveniently located across the street from the Lakewood Mall at 310 Centennial Street. They offer a complimentary breakfast, pool, hot tub, and an on-site pub. Call (605) 225-4565 for reservations and ask for the NSU Basketball Reunion block to receive the special \$55 nightly rate.

Save the date and watch your mailbox for more details.

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9

**6/8 p.m.** NSU vs Concordia-St. Paul

**10 p.m.** Roundball Reception at AmericInn

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

##### I Hate Winter Day

**1:15 p.m.** Womens Alumni Game

**2:30 p.m.** Mens Alumni Game

**4 p.m.** Alumni Reception @ Lagers Inn

**6 and 8 p.m.** NSU vs. MSU-Moorhead  
(Basketball Alumni will be introduced during the half-times of the games)

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | WOLVES ACTION

## THIS FALL

The cross country teams return to action in 2006 following a successful 2005 season. The men's team placed 12th at the North Central Region meet last season, the second highest placing by an NSIC team. The women's team finished 20th at the meet, the third highest placing among NSIC schools.

On the golf course, the women's team looks forward to an exciting move back into team play in the NSIC. The women's program has had individual qualifiers in the past years, but has not fielded a team. Both the men's and women's teams will face rebuilding years with new names on the rosters. The men placed fourth in the conference last season, but lost all three of their top athletes. With the new additions made to the squad, the team has fared well early on and looks to make a name for themselves as league challengers.

## &gt;&gt;&gt; | NEWS

## Intramural and Student Recreation Center Opens at NSU

Construction was recently completed on the Northern State University Intramural and Student Recreation Center which is located in the Dacotah Hall Gymnasium.

The ISRC is a 3,600 square foot student funded facility featuring two levels. The first floor is home to cardiovascular and strength training equipment. The second floor will be used for movement type of activities, such as yoga, Pilates and kick-boxing. The gymnasium space will be used primarily for intramural activities and informal recreation.

A short program and ribbon cutting ceremony was held in September with NSU President, Patrick Schloss, Director of Student Activities, Travis Sieber, and Vice President of the NSU Student Senate, Andy Foster, presenting. Following the ceremony, student-guided tours of the facility were offered.

## Coach Curt Fredrickson Named to South Dakota Amateur Baseball Hall of Fame

**"This award speaks volumes about the dedication that our coaches have for both for their players and the University."**

*President Patrick Schloss*

NSU Coach Curt Fredrickson was inducted into the South Dakota Amateur Baseball Hall of Fame at a banquet in Clark, S.D. on Saturday, September 30.

Curt Fredrickson was an all-American baseball player for the NSU Wolves from 1970-74, and has been coaching the NSU baseball team since 2003. Fredrickson is also the head women's basketball coach at Northern.

As an amateur baseball player, he's had an unmatched 30-year career. Fredrickson is also

the only player in the history of South Dakota amateur baseball to amass more than 200 home runs and 200 career pitching victories. He ranks second in career home runs and third in all-time pitching wins.

"We are proud to have a member of the NSU family recognized with this prestigious honor," said President Patrick Schloss. "This award speaks volumes about the dedication that our coaches have for both for their players and the University."

## CELEBRATIONS

1935

**Margaret Simon '35** celebrated her 90th birthday on June 10, 2006.

1940

**Warren Walworth '40** and his wife, Mary, celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on May 31, 2006.

**Dorothy (Nelson) Schwab '40** and her husband, Leon, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on June 29, 2006.

**Myrtle (Trapp) Styles '40** and her husband, Lowell, celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on August 18, 2006.

1941

**Bert Rystrom '41** celebrated his 85th birthday on June 3, 2006.

**Emmett Lenihan '41** and his wife **Natalie (Mallay) '41** celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on September 1, 2006.

**Alice (Kluck) Rystrom '41** celebrated her 85th birthday on August 18, 2006.

1942

**Esther (Andersen) Korab '42** celebrated her 85th birthday on April 30, 2006.

1943

**Lucille (Sime) Palmer '43** and her husband Melvin celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on July 18, 2006.

1945

**Virginia (Thomas) Monroe '45** celebrated her 80th birthday.

1948

**G. Verne Luke '48** and wife, Donna, celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on June 17, 2006.

1950

**Raymond Schmidt B'50, M'60**, and his wife, Genevieve, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Nov. 8, 2006. They live in Aberdeen.

1952

**Teresa (Blank) Schliesman '52** and her husband, Bernard, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in the spring of 2006.

1953

**Garold Engelhard '53** and his wife, Jeanette, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in 2006.

1956

**Joyce (Larson) Fluke '56** and her husband, **Dean '59**, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on July 22, 2006.

**Jane (Sheldon) Hawk '56** and her husband, **Max '57**, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on August 12, 2006.

**Gary Cutler B '58, M '63** celebrated his 70th birthday on April 23, 2006.

**Fredrickson '58** and his wife, **Leann (Jones) '65**, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 17, 2006.

1959

**Ralph Dean Johnson '59** and his wife, Janice, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 1, 2006.

1961

**Leonhard Albrecht B '61** celebrated his 85th birthday on March 17, 2006.

**Del Stassel B '61** and his wife, Jeannette, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary April 1, 2006.

1962

**Marilyn (Haessig) Stange '62** and her husband, Verlin, celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary May 31, 2006.

**Thomas Butch '62** and his wife, Francella, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on August 18, 2006.

1963

**Lois Marie Wells '63** celebrated her 75th birthday on June 24, 2006.

**Robert Beadle '63** and his wife, Judie, were honored for their 40th wedding anniversary on August 5, 2006.

1965

**Edward Laue '65** and his wife, **Barbara (Newton) '66**, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on July 10, 2006.

1966

**T. Sydnet Mortenson N '66** celebrated his 89th birthday on March 31, 2006.

1967

**Marvin Maule '67** and his wife, **Betty '70**, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 10, 2006.

1968

**Kennith Goseh '68** and his wife, Ardys, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on June 26, 2006.



Rapid City Alumni Gathering at NSU's International Business Conference.  
October 4, 2006.

1969

**Deann (Weideman) Zens '69** and her husband, Roger, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on June 18, 2006.

1970

**Neal Smith B '70** and his wife **Cheryl (Geranen) B '90** celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary on May 21, 2006.

1971

**Margaret R. (Wendt) Wickstrom '71** celebrated her 90th birthday on May 27, 2006.

**Dorothy (Hauck) Maas '71** and her husband, **Kenneth '76**, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on August 6, 2006.

1972

**Barry (Weller) Pence '72**, and husband, **Bernice '55**, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary June 9, 2006.

1973

**Chantel (Houde) Sebek B '73**, and her husband Eugene, celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary on October 30, 2005.

**Barb Felderman '73** celebrated her 25th year as women's basketball coach for South Dakota School of Mines and Technology.

1978

**Mary Jo (Meinerding) Stump '78** and her husband, Larry, celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary on June 17, 2006.

## CELEBRATIONS/NOTES

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1981 <b>Cathy (Nack) Murphy '81</b> and her husband Pat celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary June 19, 2006. <b>Janet (Meidinger) Atkinson '81</b> and her husband, Steve, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.	1984 <b>Bonnie (McNeil) Ellis B '84</b> celebrated her 80th birthday on April 7, 2006. <b>John Maines '84</b> and his wife, Twyla, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on August 15, 2006.	1989 <b>Darwin Davis '89</b> and his wife, Deb, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on July 11, 2006. 1992 <b>Harlene Pesicka '92</b> and her husband, Bill, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on July 23, 2006.
1982 <b>Joleen (Speidel) Christianson '82</b> and her husband Mark celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on May 23, 2006.	1985 <b>Donna (Hoffmann) Wilson A '85</b> celebrated her 70th birthday on February 18, 2006.	
NOTES		
1941 <b>Robert Thompson '41</b> was a speaker at the Aberdeen Area Genealogical Society. 1946 <b>Tom Gerber '46</b> is the Libertarian candidate for governor. 1949 <b>Stanley Schmidt '49</b> was inducted into the Central High School Hall of Fame. <b>Dr. Bernard Gerber '49</b> traveled with his son to an African desert to observe and photograph a total eclipse of the sun. 1950 <b>John Cacavas '50</b> was inducted into the Central High School Hall of Fame. 1952 <b>Jim King '52</b> received the Distinguished Service Award from the South Dakota Optometric Society.	1953 <b>Garold Engelhard '53</b> was inducted into the Flowing Wells High School Sports Hall of Fame in September 2006. 1954 <b>Nancy (Dewhirst) Thielen '54</b> was inducted into the Central High School Hall of Fame. 1955 <b>Ted Kneebone '55</b> had his story, "Just Plain Bill meets the Halls of Ivy" in "Ivy College in Crisis," published in It's That Time Again 3. 1956 <b>Robert "Ed" Ackerson '56</b> was honored at the S.D. Funeral Directors Association State Convention for his 50 years of continuous service in the funeral profession in South Dakota. 1956 <b>James Kretchman '56</b> was honored by having the Fieldhouse at Clark Swisher Field be named after himself and Donald Reshetar. 1958 <b>Donald S. Reshetar '58</b> was honored by having the Fieldhouse at Clark Swisher Field be named after himself and Jim Kretchman. 1961 <b>Bernette (Craig) Zastrow '61</b> won second place for her story "The Lady More Than Stepped Outside — She Leaped". The story was judged by members of the National Shooting Sports Foundation. 1962 <b>Wayne Fischer '62</b> retired from his position as director of facilities management at Northern State University on June 30, 2006.	1963 <b>Larry J. Klapperich '63</b> has retired as superintendent at Groton Schools. He has taught 40 years in the education field and has been a teacher, principal, and superintendent for area schools.
 <p>Over 300 Northern alumni and friends gathered to watch the Wolves take on Augustana College in Sioux Falls on August 31, 2006. Coach Chris Boden addressed the fans prior to kickoff at a pre-game tailgate party.</p>		

## WHAT'S NEWS WITH YOU?

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## NOTES

**Larry J. Klapperich** '63 was named Outstanding Citizen of the Year for Groton in 2006.

**Lee Schinkel** '63 was nominated by the Aberdeen Valley of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry to receive the rank of Inspector General honorary of the Thirty-Third and Last Degree of Freemasonry.

1964

**Tom Lammon** '64 was a featured performer at the Aberdeen Blue-grass and Old-Time Music Association.

1965

**Mary (Duenwald) Keller** '65 was featured in the Teacher Feature of the American News for her work as an English Teacher at Hoven High School.

1967

**Virginia (Opp) Doerr B** '67 was featured for her involvement with CASA, Court Appointed Special Advocates Program.

1967

**Terry Small** '67 was inducted into the South Dakota High School Coaches Association Hall of Fame. Small has coached the Aberdeen Eagles boys basketball for 30 years; head coach for 21 years and has a 330-140 record.

**Arlene (Aman) Schopp** '67 received the Wal-Mart Teacher of the Year Award for her work at Ipswich Public Schools.

**LaVonne (Jones) Helmer** '67 published her first book, "Faith's Story."

**Dorene (Sager) Nelson** '67 was inducted into Honored Women Educators of South Dakota. She is a retired teacher from Groton High School.

**Rory King** '67 was awarded the Frank DeWalt Volunteer of the Year Award. This award recognizes a person who has devoted significant time to Roncalli High School.

1968

**James Haar B** '68 was inducted into the Rapid City Sports Hall of Fame.

**Glenda (Stebbins) Goldade** '68 was inducted into Honored Women Educators of South Dakota. She is an Elementary teacher at Faulkton.

**Richard Westra** '68 is a new member on the Avera St. Luke's Board of Directors.

**Jill (Bruns) Schoen** '68 was selected to receive the Howard B. Smith Award by the South Dakota Mental Health Counselors. This award reflects ongoing involvement, service and leadership in the organization.

**William Haywood** '68 was nominated by the Aberdeen Valley of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry to receive the rank of Inspector General honorary of the Thirty-Third and Last Degree of Freemasonry.

1969

**Michael Wysuph** '69 was inducted into the Rapid City Sports Hall of Fame.

1970

**Max Davidson** '70 is one of the owners of Northern Lights Inn, a new hotel in Britton.

**Gary Fahrni** '70 was featured in the Teacher Feature of the American News for his work as a science teacher at Selby Area School.

1971

**Terry Voeltz B** '71, Brown County Speedway Promoter and WISSOTA President, received the National Speed Sport News Award for Outstanding Annual Short Track Event.

1972

**Debra (Krueger) Fickett N** '72 was inducted into the Aberdeen Women's Bowling Association Hall of Fame.

**Les Hinds B** '72 was featured in the Teacher Feature of the American News for his work as a teacher at Groton Area Schools for 29 years.

**Mike Levesen** '72, Aberdeen Mayor, ran in the Law Enforcement Torch Run to kick off the Special Olympics.

**Susan Birrenkott** '72 received the 2005 Athena Award, which recognizes a person who has opened doors of leadership opportunities for women.

**Mike Evans** '72, received the 2005 George Award, which honors someone who has stepped up, taken initiative and worked on behalf of the community rather than "just letting George do it."

1973

**Kimberly (Solberg) Bellum B** '73, B '85 was selected to be the Dean of Instruction at Lake Area Technical Institute in Watertown. She started her position in August of 2005.

**Norbie Reuer** '73 was named in the Teacher Feature of the Aberdeen News for his work as a science teacher, guidance counselor, and coach at Faulkton High School.

**Carl Perry** '73 and his CCR Gospel Trio released its first CD, "Praise Him - A Cappella 2006."

1974

**Dave Arlt** '74 was the recipient of the Aberdeen Home Builder Association's Associate Member of the Year and the award for "Going Above and Beyond."

**Mark Engelhart** '74 was awarded the South Dakota CPA Society's Distinguished Service Award for his years of service at Eide Bailly.

1976

**Mark Murphy** '76 has taken the position of assistant principal at Aberdeen Central High School. Murphy is in his 20th year of teaching at Central.

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Sioux Falls Alumni Gathering at JazzFest. July 15, 2006.

## NOTES

1978	Jodi (James) Sternhagen '87 received the South Dakota High School Counselor of the Year Award. Sternhagen is a 7-12 counselor at Groton Area School.	1994
Mike Hollan B'78 M '84 was promoted to Senior Vice President Operations and Technology at Dacotah Bank.	Connie Grote '87 has been promoted to manager at Eide Bailly in Aberdeen.	Rebecca (Engel) Kuch B '94, M '02, received her Professional Counselor License for the state of S.D. Kuch serves as coordinator for both the Insight and CHAMPS/Lifeskills programs, as well as a counselor at NSU.
1979	1988	1995
Thomas Schmitt '79 was named the "2006 Respect for the Law" award winner.	Steve Salzer '88 has taken the general manager position at the MinnWest Technology Campus in Willmar, Minn.	Paula (Stolsmark) Krueger B'95, M '96 is one of five finalists for the head women's basketball coaching job at Southwest Minnesota State University.
1980	1989	Todd Neuendorf '95 has taken the position of boys' basketball head coach and fifth-grade teacher at Roncalli.
Tim Beck '80 was honored as assistant coach of the year by the South Dakota Football Coaches Association.	Joan (Gertner) Anderson '89 was named in the Teacher Feature of the Aberdeen News for her work as a family and consumer science teacher at Eureka Public School.	Kevin Burckhard '95 has taken the position of vice president and retail banking manager at Dacotah Bank in Aberdeen.
Monica (Braun) Petersen '80 has been promoted to manager at Eide Bailly in Aberdeen.	Marlene (Calmus) Lorenz '89 was inducted into the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference Hall of Fame.	Steve Cogley '95 has taken the position of boys' varsity soccer head coach at Central High School.
1981	1989	Melissa White '95 has been promoted to senior manager at Eide Bailly LLP in Aberdeen.
Barton Torbert '81 received the Encore Award, which recognizes excellence and achievement in the field of choral music.	Susan (Jasinski) Bostian '89 has taken the position of human resources director at Northern State University.	1999
1982	1991	Ann (Muller) Blue '99 has taken the position as a broker associate for Mickelson Realtors. She will be specializing in residential properties.
Diane (Olson) Goldade N '82 has joined the staff at Reflections Salon in the Super City Mall in Aberdeen.	Dennis Burrell B '91, with friends, started BB Shots, an internet radio program based out of his home.	Lori (Heilman) Leidholt '99 has been promoted to manager at Eide Bailly in Aberdeen.
Laurie (Dummer) Torbert '82 received the Encore Award, which recognizes excellence and achievement in the field of choral music.	Carolyn (Calmus) Geyer B '91, M '96 competed in the Boston Marathon, running the 26.2 mile course in three hours, 41 minutes, and 2 second. Geyer finished 8,926 out of 22,517 entrants.	2001
1983	Mary Wienbar '91 was named in the Teacher Feature of the Aberdeen News for her work as a 3rd grade teacher at Iroquois School.	Elizabeth Kaan '01 was named in the Teacher Feature of the Aberdeen News for her work as an elementary art specialist for the Aberdeen School District.
Janelle (Frank) Barondeau '83 was named in the Teacher Feature of the Aberdeen News for her work as a math, business, and computer teacher at Frederick Area High School.	1992	2002
1984	LeRoy Farmen '92 was named in the Teacher Feature of the Aberdeen News for his work as a kindergarten teacher in Smee School District.	Jackson Lofgren '02 graduated from the University of South Dakota School of Law.
Col. Pam (Goldin) Stahl '84 is the first woman to serve as a staff judge advocate for the 101st Airborne Division.	Jennifer (Stanford) Schell '92 was inducted into the Central High School Hall of Fame.	Jeanne Enwiller '02 received the March Leadership Award at Wells Fargo Financial.
1985	Kristen (Krueger) Gonsoir '92 was named Coach of the Year at the South Dakota Forensic Coaches Association end-of-the-year awards banquet. She also received the 2006 South Dakota Outstanding Physical Science Teacher Award from the South Dakota Science Teachers Association and 3M Co.	2003
Julie (Olson) Ebach B '85 was named in the Teacher Feature of the American News for her work as a first-grade teacher in Aberdeen.	Jim Appl '92 has taken the position of girls' track and field head coach at Central High School.	Amy Gurney B '03 has taken the position of head softball coach at Black Hills State.
Gene Lorenz '85 was inducted into the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference Hall of Fame.	Randy Jordan '92 has resigned as head men's basketball coach for Presentation College and has taken the position of boy's basketball coach and teacher at St. Cloud Technical High School in Minnesota.	Christina Page '03 was named in the Teacher Feature of the Aberdeen News for her work in the resource room at May Overby Elementary School in Aberdeen.
Alan LaFave '85 received the Distinguished Service Award from the South Dakota chapter of the Bandmaster's Fraternity, Phi Beta Mu.	1986	Matt Gates '03 is now the director of sports training at Cris Carter's FAST Program in Coral Springs, Fla.
Todd Jordre B '86, M '87 received the Bronze National Leadership Award at the Junior Achievement of Aberdeen annual board retreat. Jordre was honored for his outstanding service and support to the program's economic education efforts.	Todd Jordre B '86, M '87 received the Bronze National Leadership Award at the Junior Achievement of Aberdeen annual board retreat. Jordre was honored for his outstanding service and support to the program's economic education efforts.	2004
Becky Geyer '87 has taken the position of women's basketball coach at Jacksonville State in Alabama.	1987	Taylor Gosch '04 has taken the position of full-time admissions counselor for Northern State University.
1988		Sundance Wicks '04 has taken the position of assistant coach for the University of Colorado men's basketball team.

## BIRTHS

1990	Kelly (Kusler) Phillips '98 and her husband, Andrew '99, a daughter, Alexa Elizabeth, on December 4, 2004.	Shelly (Rall) Schneider '02 and husband, Mike, a daughter, Gabrielle Pauline, on May 4, 2006.
Jay Maas B'90 and wife, Dawn, a daughter, Miranda May on April 19, 2006.	Amy (Warne) Dougherty '98 and her husband, Jeremiah, a daughter, Fiona Eve, on June 18, 2006.	Amy (Dix) Erickson '02 and her husband, Ryan '02, a son, Hunter Perry, on July 3, 2006.
Melissa (Malsam) Sauer '90 and husband, Ronald, a son, Krist Ronald, on May 8, 2006.	1999	Jamie (Borah) Peterson B'02 and her husband, Cristian AS'00, a daughter, Jayda Grace, on April 4, 2006.
1992	Beth (Spencer) Lott '99 and her husband, John, a daughter, Abigail Marie, on January 11, 2006.	Elizabeth (Koenig) Johnson '02 and her husband, Troy, a son, Deegan Douglas, on July 5, 2006.
Susan (Frey) Karel B'92 and her husband, Jason, a daughter, Hope Lorraine on January 23, 2006.	Timothy Schut '99 and his wife, Jennifer, a daughter, Makayla Jean, on July 15, 2006.	Kari (Stenvig) Stickelmyer '02 and her husband, Steve, a son, Thomas Norman, on July 27, 2006.
Chris Larson '92 and his wife, Kristal (Reuer) '99, a son, Jacob John, on May 30, 2006.	2000	2003
1993	Bridget (Putnam) Arneson A '00, and her husband, Jamie, a daughter Chloe Beth on March 20, 2006.	Kristina (Kauk) Kranzler B'03 and husband, Matt, a son, Micah Matthew, on February 3, 2006.
Annette (Geffre- Leberman) '93 and her husband, Tracy, a daughter, Reagan Ann, on July 14, 2006.	Brian Schultz B '00, and wife, Juli, a daughter, Natalie Taige on February 2, 2006.	Elizabeth (Prahl) Larson B '03 and her husband, Trampass, a daughter, Maria Kay Unelma Larson, on February 4, 2006.
1994	Amanda Bain B'00 and husband, Scott, a daughter, Camryn Marie on April 21, 2006.	Riley Lamb B '03 and Tascha (Swanhorst) Lamb (Friend), a daughter, Melania Elizabeth, on February 3, 2006.
Amy (McIntire) Beaner B '94 and her husband, Paul, a daughter, Rachel Noel on October 24, 2004.	Chris Heier B '00 and wife, Tenille, a son Dominick Xavier on April 9, 2006.	Jade Combellick '03 a son, Elijah James, on July 1, 2006.
Susan (Busse) Gonsor B '94 and her husband, Carey, a daughter, Laney Susan on February 28, 2006.	Kelli (Byrne) Van Steenwyk '00 and husband, Andy, a daughter, Carter Marie, on May 15, 2006.	Jodi Vander Hoek '03 and her husband, Corey, a daughter Livia Lauren, on June 6, 2006.
Amy (Aldinger) Jones '94 and her husband, Kent, a daughter, Morgan Jean, on May 17, 2006.	Shannon (Van Uden) Rook '00 and her husband, Brian, a son, Gavin Anthony-David, on March 20, 2006.	2004
Dianthe (Cutler) Olson '94 and her husband, Troy, a daughter, Delaney Mae, on June 1, 2006.	Sheila (Napton) Sandquist '00 and her husband, David, a daughter, Melissa Karie, on June 23, 2006.	Justin Steiger B '04 and his wife, Jennifer, a daughter, Aurelia Ryne on May 1, 2006
1995	Jennifer (Aldinger) Ellwein '00 and her husband, Jonathan, a daughter, Jocelynn Aaryn, on August 4, 2006.	2005
Michelle (Senger) Azure B '95, and her husband, Mark, a daughter, Anna Lynn, on March 25, 2006.	2001	Joseph Loren Moore '05 and his wife, Tiffany Joyce, a son, McKellan Joseph, on June 4, 2006.
Pamela (Solberg) Lane B'95, M '02, and her husband, Mark, a son, Gavin Richard, on February 2, 2006.	Tyler Carson B'01, and his wife, Eva, a son, Isaac Ryan, on March 10, 2006.	2006
Teri (Rousseau) Galbraith '95 and her husband, Richard '98, a daughter, Kyanne Reese, on June 7, 2006.	Justin Steckelberg '01 and his wife, Hollie, a son, Alexander Ray, on April 30, 2006.	Christopher Bohlander '06 and his wife, Barb, a daughter, Sylvia Jean, on July 31, 2006.
Todd Neuendorf '95 and his wife, Jaime, a son, Easton James, on May 31, 2006.	Matthew Reitzel '01 and his wife, Jessica (Burczek) '02, a daughter, Emma Jenay, on April 12, 2005.	
1996	Sarah (Fritz) Wear '01 and husband, Jason, a son, Jamison Tyler, on March 2, 2005.	
Eric Thorson '96 and his wife, Wendy (Halse) '97, a son, Joshua Riley, on July 11, 2006.	2002	
1997	Doreen (Bauer) B '02 and Jason Leinen B '02, a son, Jacob, on February 7, 2006.	
Shawna (Alwin) Dosch A '97, and her husband, Korey, a son, Haden Korey, on March 10, 2006.	Kimberly Thorpe A '02 and husband Mike, a daughter, Mackenzie Marie, on March 3, 2006.	
Carla (Nolte) Ramlo '97, and husband, Byron, a daughter, Kylie Jean, on April 7, 2006.	Amber (Olson) Bryant M '02 and husband, Toby, a daughter, Dessa Joy, on February 9, 2006.	
Stacey (Ptacek) Meehl '97 and her husband, Gary, a son, Joshua Michael, on June 15, 2006.		
1998		
Terry Evans '98 and wife, Shannon (Poppens) '99, a son, Zachary Thomas, on May 11, 2006.		



Sioux Falls Alumni Gathering at Prairie Green Golf Course. July 14, 2006

## WEDDINGS

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1990

**Scott Stand B** '90 and Julie Nevill were married on January 21, 2006. The couple is living in St. Paul.

1996

**Aimee Baum** '96 and Kevin Nortier were married on November 26, 2004. The couple is living in Naperville, Ill.

1997

**Jodi Berheim** '97 and B.J. Leeper were married December 17, 2005. The couple is living in Overland Park, Kan.

2000

**Jonathan Boer B** '00 and Michelle Eberle were married on October 29, 2005. The couple is living in Redfield.

**Latara Olson** '00 and Jamey Pateneaude were married August 27, 2005. The couple is living in McLaughlin.

**Shannon Van Uden** '00 and Brian Rook married May 7, 2005. The couple resides in Sioux Falls.

2001

**Sarah Fritza** '01 and Jason Wear were married on June 18, 2003. The couple is living in Aberdeen.

2001

**Michael Wedge** '01 and **Kate Gollnick** '03 were married on June 24, 2006. The couple is living in Webster.

2004

**Raphael Duncan B** '04 and **Heather Woehlhaff** '04 were married on Dec. 31, 2005. The couple is living in Willowbrook, Ill.

## Class of 1957

Your Class Reunion  
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Alumni and friends gather at Wylie Park for a free picnic and to hear from President Schloss, deans, and coaches about the upcoming year.  
The Johnny Holm Band played afterwards. September 7, 2006.



Sharon (Becker) Beck ('56), Alice (Achen) Peterson ('55),  
Jean (Fulker) Goering ('56), and Joyce (Larson) Fluke ('56).

50 Year Club Reunion, May 12, 2006



Rapid City Alumni Gathering at Red Rock Golf Course.  
June 2, 2006. Coach Chris Boden, Athletic Director Bob Olson,  
Kevin Buntrock ('81), Rick Rylance ('78), Jason Young ('93).

## MEMORIALS

1926 Sara Vivian (Watters) Grace '26, Webster, died March 11, 2006.	1960 Hansa 'Inger' (Geist) Duncan N '60, Gettysburg, died February 10, 2006.	1972 Mark Eldridge Demmers '72, Rapid City, died May 18, 2006.
1933 Amy (Groop) Heagley '33, Aberdeen, died April 25, 2006.	Robert L. Lee '60, Rapid City, died August 15, 2006.	William Adney '72, Selby, died August 28, 2006.
1934 Rosamond (Baird) Blume YC '34, Redfield, died in March 2006.	1961 Boyd Frederick Blumer '61, Ellendale, N.D., died August 19, 2006.	1978 Vern Jark B '78, M '82, Aberdeen, died April 1, 2006.
Judith (Burke) Peterson '34, Milbank, died May 21, 2006.	1962 Martha (Miner) Anderson B '62, Aberdeen, died February 14, 2006.	1979 Sandra (Heinz) Dosch '79, Aberdeen, died June 16, 2006.
1940 Willard E. Ellis '40, Aberdeen, died June 10, 2006.	Cornelius Albrecht N '62, Woodbury, Minn., died February 17, 2006.	1981 John Lewis Giedt B '81, Tulsa, Oklahoma, died January 27, 2006.
1941 Cecelia (Christian) Siemens, B '41, Fairfax, Wash., died March 9, 2006.	Linda (Peterson) Beddow '62, Aberdeen, died April 17, 2006.	1985 Kay (Moen) Wolff '85, Beardsley, Minn., died August 9, 2006.
Richard E. Grandpre '41, Aberdeen, died May 29, 2006.	James Evan Smith '62, Aberdeen, died July 19, 2006.	2000 Alice Sue 'Suzy' (Traylor) Penry '00, Claremont, died February 22, 2006.
G. Merton Bender '41, Aberdeen, died June 26, 2006.	1964 Joyce (Richards) Wolf B '64, Sisseton, died March 4, 2006.	FRIEND Kevin Mather (Friend), Aberdeen, died February 20, 2006.
1943 Beulah (Erbe) Schumacher B '43, Bowdle, died February 18, 2006.	1966 Sister Cyrilla Gasper '66, Aberdeen, died July 2, 2006.	Robert L. Carroll (Friend), Aberdeen, died March 20, 2006.
1948 Dorothy (Boone) Fryer N '48, Huron, died March 17, 2006.	William C. Walker '66, Crosby, Minn., died July 10, 2006.	Gwyn Laustsen (Friend), Aberdeen, died March 23, 2006.
Jerome O. Hogue '48, Flandreau, died June 17, 2006.	1968 Betty (Bates) Larrington N '68, Gettysburg, died May 8, 2006.	Barbara (Kullander) Pagones (Friend), Aberdeen, died April 21, 2006.
1949 Mary Jane (Thede) Jensen '49, Sandy, Ore., died July 9, 2006.	Leonard 'Butch' Eikamp '68, Groton, died July 18, 2006.	Andrew Kaemer (Friend), Aberdeen, died March 9, 2006.
1950 Merle Long B '50, Benson, Minn., died in March 2006.	1969 Jo Anne (Madsen) Mielke '69, Aberdeen, died July 8, 2006.	Bradley Karsky (Friend), Aberdeen, died April 16, 2006.
James Delaney B '52, Webster, died March 5, 2006.	Thomas E. Bigelow '69, Aberdeen, died August 18, 2006.	Keith W. Warne (Friend), Aberdeen, died April 4, 2006.
Joyce (Arthurs) Jones B '52, Aberdeen, died March 21, 2006.	1970 Mary (Hagen) Bowar B '70, Faulkton, died March 18, 2006.	Eulalia Leesch (Friend), Redfield, died June 4, 2006.
1953 Mildred (Bender) Job N '53, Eureka, died May 11, 2006.	Marjorie (Fischer) Dabbert B '70, Roscoe, died April 1, 2006.	Ferne Grebner (Friend), Aberdeen, died June 23, 2006.
Neoma (Bierman) Johnson '53, Dupree, died May 31, 2006.	Alexander Mitchell '70, Aberdeen, died July 5, 2006.	DuWayne Heitmann (Friend), Aberdeen, died June 28, 2006.
1956 Donald E. Watson '56, Canistota, died May 25, 2006.	Cheryl (Lien) Werlinger '70, Britton, died July 30, 2006.	William 'Joe' Van De Rostyne (Friend), Aberdeen, died August 3, 2006.
1958 Dean J. Krein '58, Eureka, died June 3, 2006.	1971 Adella (Rueb) Rueb-Richarson B '71, Loma Linda, Calif., died February 20, 2006.	Danny Olson (Friend), Sioux Falls, died August 11, 2006.
	Monte Dokken '71, Reno, Nev., died March 4, 2006.	Louis 'Bud' Ochs (Friend), Aberdeen, died August 19, 2006.

# UPCOMING ALUMNI EVENTS

## NOVEMBER 2006

- Nov. 3 Hunt 'n' Howl at the Civic Arena, 5-11 p.m.  
Nov. 11 Twin Cities Alumni Gathering  
NSU vs. University of Mary at Metrodome, 12 p.m.  
Pregame Reception, 10 a.m.  
Upper Concourse, Sections 209-212

## DECEMBER 2006

- Dec. 1 Northern Night  
Aberdeen Ramkota, 5 p.m.  
Dec. 9 Nora Stael Evert Dedication  
Barnett Center, 3 p.m.

## JANUARY 2007

- Jan. 5 Fargo/Moorhead Alumni Gathering  
Moorhead Courtyard by Marriott, 4-6 p.m.  
NSU Basketball vs MSUM, Women 6 p.m., Men 8 p.m.  
Jan. 6 Minneapolis/St. Paul Alumni Gathering  
O'Gara's Bar & Grill, 4-6 p.m.  
NSU Basketball vs Concordia, Women 6 p.m., Men 8 p.m.

## FEBRUARY 2007

- Feb. 1 Watertown Alumni Gathering  
Location to be determined, 5-7 p.m.  
Feb. 2 Alumni Gathering in Marshall, Minn.  
Wooden Nickel 4-6 p.m.  
NSU Basketball vs SWMS, Women 6 p.m., Men 8 p.m.  
Feb. 9 Brookings Alumni Gathering, S.D. Bandmasters  
Brookings Inn, 5-7 p.m.  
Feb. 9-10 NSU Basketball Reunion  
Block of rooms at AmericInn, (605) 225-4565  
Feb. 10 I Hate Winter, Alumni Basketball Games  
Reception at Lager's Inn, 4-6 p.m.  
Feb. 23 Bismarck/Mandan Alumni Gathering  
Peacock Alley Bar & Grill, 4-6 p.m.  
NSU vs Mary, Women 6 p.m., Men 8 p.m.

## MAY 2007

- May 11-12 50 Year Club Reunion, Classes of 1957 and earlier

## OCTOBER 2007

- Oct. 5 Gold & Silver Luncheon, Student Center, 12 p.m.  
Campus Tours, 2-4 p.m.  
Distinguished Alumni/Hall of Fame Banquet  
5 p.m., Ward Hotel Ballroom  
Oct. 6 Gypsy Day 2007

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